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CONNECTOR APPARATUS AND  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

This is a response to the Restriction dated October 1, 2003 for which a one month extension request is being filed herewith to extend the period for response from November 1, 2003 to December 1, 2003.

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